

WILL MAKE BALL CROWNING FEATURE

Committees Bend Energies
to that Result.

PROMENADE VERY IMPOSING

Decorations of Room Will Be of
Design and Material to Give Pleas-
ing Effect—Floor Committee Striv-
ing to Make Crowd Comfortable.
Several Subcommittees Meet.

Chief interest among the busy corps of
inaugural workers now rests in making
the ball a great success.

All energies are being bent in that
direction, and it is not too much to say
that the President's ball will be a larger
and more brilliant function than has ever
been realized in the quadrennial festivi-
ties of installing the Chief Executive into
office.

That the function will be largely at-
tended is shown by the stream of in-
quiries pouring into inaugural headquar-
ters asking for tickets and how to obtain
them. The public is thoroughly alive to
the desirability of attending this great
social event, and there is a bigger demand
for tickets than ever before in the history
of inaugurations.

Committee Working Hard.

The committee, on its part, is striving
to make it an event worthy of the dis-
tinguished gathering, worthy of Wash-
ington, and worthy of the two men and
their families who will be the chief
center of interest that night. Yesterday af-
ternoon the Pension Office was about half
ready for the ball, that is, the eyes, the
room had been cleared, the bunting
placed upon the ceilings, and a great body
of material assembled for finishing the
decorations.

James Rush Marshall, chairman of the
committee on decorating the ballroom, is
supervising the preparations in person,
and nothing escapes his sharp eyes. The
decorations are going into place with an
idea of beauty and completeness when it
is finished, and the colors and material
will harmonize beautifully with the de-
sign, and with the introductory promenade
will be made this year in lighting the
ballroom, the place of assembly will be
especially brilliant and beautiful.

Other Committees Active.

Other committees having in charge
other features of the ball are all working
hard to accomplish something better than
has been done before. It was thought
four years ago that the floor committee
reached the limit of perfection in the ar-
rangements, but this year several depart-
ures have been made which, it is thought,
will add to the interest of the occasion.
The route of the introductory promenade
is to be made longer, the Presidential
party is to be attended by aids from the
States, and will be bigger and more im-
posing than formerly, and the entire pro-
gramme of arrangements is worked out
on a larger plan with a view to accommo-
dating a larger crowd with greater pleas-
ure and comfort than on previous inaugu-
ral balls.

One of the pleasing features of the night
will be the supper. The menu was made
public last night by Secretary Thom at
inaugural headquarters, and is as follows:

Chicken croquettes
Cold Kentucky salmon, Remoulade sauce
Wildfowl salad Chicken salad
Assorted sandwiches, miniature rolls
Individual forms of ice cream, Neapolitan ice cream,
Tutti frutti, biscuits, glasses in cases
Fancy cakes, macaroons and wafers, fancy jellies
Macedoine, Presidential cake, cheese straws
Sponge cake Meringue Patisserie
Chantilly cream-bonbons
Hot coffee
Shoeboggy water

Will Make Guests Comfortable.

With a view to looking out for the
comfort of guests at the ball, cloak rooms,
hat boxes, retiring rooms for ladies, a
hospital, and other accessories have been
provided, which will insure the comfort
and convenience of all, so far as it can
be anticipated and arranged for in ad-
vance. With a view to making the ar-
rangements complete, the ballroom com-
mittee has been divided into twenty-
eight sections, with twenty men in each
section, which will have charge of the
room and its accessories, will keep order,
and preserve proper movements of the
people present, so as not to result in
crowding.

These arrangements, with the proverbial
good nature and forbearance of the
gentlemen and ladies who will attend the
ball, the function cannot fail to be a
grand and interesting gathering of the
elite of the city and the States of the
Union. This is what the committee seeks,
and what it expects to attain.

Public Order Committee Meets.

Last night the committee on public or-
der, numbering about 500 men, was called
together at the New Willard, and re-
ceived printed instructions on their duties
during the inaugural period. Each mem-
ber of the committee was presented with
a badge, with a policeman's commission
from the Commissioners, and a small
souvenir from the major and superintend-
ent of police.

Report on Historic Sites.

At the same hour the committee on
historic sites met at the New Willard and
each was presented with the booklet pub-
lished by the committee, and the badge
chosen for inauguration week. Last
night an extended report was presented
by Amos B. Casselman, a member of the
committee on the historic sites of that
portion of the Federal district once in-
cluded on the Virginia side of the
Potomac River. The report proved of
great interest, and the author was given
a vote of thanks by the committee. The
report was a historical sketch of the Vir-
ginia portion of the District which was
ceded back to the Old Dominion in 1846.
The report describes about twenty-five
notable sites in that territory which are
inseparably connected with the history
of the Capital and its early development.

Lineup of Veteran Escort.

Special order No. 1, issued by Daniel
V. Chisholm, chief of staff of the di-
vision of the veteran escort which will
march with the President and Vice Pres-
ident-elect from the White House to the
Capitol, was issued last night. According
to the terms of the order the following
will be the line-up of the escort:

1. The United Spanish War Veterans' division
will assemble for escort duty at 9 o'clock sharp
on the morning of March 4, 1909, at the G. A. R.
Hall, Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

2. Promptly at 9:30 o'clock the column will form
in Pennsylvania avenue facing north, with the right
wing in Thirtieth. Following order will be ob-
served:

Band
Commander-in-chief.
Commander-in-chief's staff, consisting of past com-
manders-in-chief, national officers, and such aids
as the commander-in-chief may appoint.

Department commander.
Department commander's staff, consisting of past
department commanders, department officers, and
aids.

Camps in numerical order.
Camp No. 2 (unattached).
All camps will carry colors in center and guidons
on right of first and left of last platoons. Platoons
will be composed of states men foot.

Column will proceed to White House, where escort
duty will be performed for the President and Pres-
ident-elect to the Capitol. Column will then be dis-
missed.

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Camp commanders will report to the chief of staff

immediately on arrival.

Regulation of service uniforms will be worn.

Comrades without uniforms may parade if equipped

with dark clothes, campaign hat, and white gloves;

such comrades will be formed on the left of their

respective camps. Preference in formation will be

given those equipped with United Spanish War Vet-

erans' uniforms.

Unattached comrades will report to the senior vice

commander of the department for assignment.

Souvenir badges of any description will not be al-

lowed to be worn while doing escort duty.

Camp commanders will assign officers in charge of

platoons capable of rendering best services on this

occasion.

Markets Open in the Morning.

W. C. Haskell, dealer of weights and

measures, has recommended to the Com-

missioners that the following hours be

observed by the local markets on in-

auguration day:

Eastern—Open at the usual hour and

close at 10 a. m. Georgetown—Open at

the usual hour and close at 10 a. m.

Western—Closed all day, as Thursday is

not a regular market day.

The Commissioners of the District of

Columbia, at the request of Maj. Gen.

J. Franklin Bell, Chief of Staff, U. S. A.,

grand marshal inaugural parade, that

they designate two gentlemen to act as

aids to the grand marshal, to represent

the District of Columbia, have named Mr.

Clarence Moore and Mr. M. C. Hazen for

the positions.

Capt. Isaac Gans, in charge of that

division of the committee on public order

which will operate along Pennsylvania

avenue, from Fourth to Thirtieth streets

northwest, has called a special meeting of

his subcommittee at the Chamber of Com-

merce to-morrow night. This committee

is composed of the following: R. P. An-

drews, W. H. Amis, F. M. Brylawski,

Engene Cochran, E. H. Droop, Ralph

Gibson, George Gibson, Benjamin Graves,

D. S. Hoover, R. S. Howell, F. Warren

Johnson, S. A. Kimberly, Simon Kann,

Louis Kann, F. P. Jay, Oliver Metzger,

M. G. McCormick, P. H. Russell, E. G.

Schaefer, Edward Stevens, G. F. Schutt,

H. C. Thompson, and H. T. Wheeler.

FOUND BY SALVATION ARMY

Morgan G. Booth, of Watertown, N. Y.,
located in Washington.

Ran Away from Home with Ray-
mond C. Osborn, Who is
Still Missing.

For nearly a month the Washington
police have been searching for Raymond
C. Osborn and Morgan G. Booth, each
sixteen years old, who left well-to-do
parents in Watertown, N. Y., with the
intention of "seeing the world."

Several days ago the Salvation Army
was notified of the disappearance, and
through the efforts of its publicity de-
partment Booth was located. He is now
at the army's Industrial Home, 121 Penn-
sylvania avenue northwest.

A position was procured for the young
man, as a result of which his parents
have given their consent for him to re-
main in Washington.

Further effort will be made to find
Osborn.
The whereabouts of a young woman
whose father is a Baptist minister in
Austin, Tex., is being investigated by
the army. She left Austin several weeks
ago and is believed to be in this city. She
is described as having dark brown eyes,
olive complexion, is five feet seven inches
tall, nineteen years of age, and of good
education.

OBJECTS TO STAND.

Piano Dealer Declares It Will In-

terfere with His Business.

Joseph F. Herman, a piano dealer,
of 1420 Pennsylvania avenue northwest,
obtained an injunction yesterday to re-
strain the Du Parquet, Hoot and Monette
company from building an inauguration
grand stand.

Mr. Herman states that the stand in
question protrudes eight feet beyond the
building line, obstructing his front door-
way to such an extent that pianos cannot
be taken in or out, and obscuring the
view from second-story windows and a
balcony. The defendants must show
cause on Tuesday why the objectionable
portion of the stand should not be re-
moved.

FOUR SUITS ARE FILED.

Washington Terminal Company De-

endant in Actions for \$60,000.

Four additional suits were filed against
the Washington Terminal Company yester-
day by Attorneys Sieman and Lerch,
representing residents of D street south-
east. Damage to property by reason of
soot, smoke, and noise from locomotives
is alleged in the suits, which approxi-
mate \$60,000.

The petitioners are Catherine O'Brien,
of 11 D street southeast, \$10,000; Virginia
and Charles H. Herold, of 7 D street
southeast, \$20,000; Henry P. Lerch and
others, living at 15, 17, and 19 D street
southeast, \$20,000, and Charles C. Barber,
\$10,000.

MUST SHOW CAUSE.

District Attorney Jerome Cited in
Case of Mrs. Teal.

New York, Feb. 27.—Supreme Court Jus-
tice Plazek today signed an order di-
recting the district attorney to appear
Tuesday morning and show cause why
a certificate of reasonable doubt as to
the validity of the conviction of Mrs.
Ben Teal, found guilty of subornation
of perjury in the divorce suit of Frank
Gould, should not be issued.

Local Hunters on Trip.

The roster of local hunters who left
Washington last night for Purcellville,
Va., where they will be the guests of
Ashby Peacock on a coon hunt, contains
the following names: P. C. King, John
Evans, William H. Cooper, J. S. Clark,
George W. White, E. C. Graham, An-
drew P. Talmadge, J. H. Ray, J. T. Mod-
fett, Henry H. Flather, Abner Nevius,
C. T. Howard, F. J. Helberger, Jr., G.
W. Hutchinson, Fred Miller, Dr. H. W.
Tobias, George P. Doane, Paul Waters,
John P. Sliven, H. S. Knight, George
W. Lynch, Dr. Dawson, J. G. Tennent,
and W. Worthington Bowie.

Readings for the Blind.

The following is the programme for
volunteer reading and music in the read-
ing room for the blind at the Library of
Congress, 2:30 to 3:30 p. m.:
Tuesday, March 2, Dr. W. A. Croffut
will read selections from his humorous
poems; Wednesday, March 3, a song re-
cital by Miss Elizabeth H. Ward, of New
York City; Saturday, March 6, Mrs. Lella
Crum Gardner, dramatic reading and
recitations.

Mrs. Roosevelt Makes Inventory.

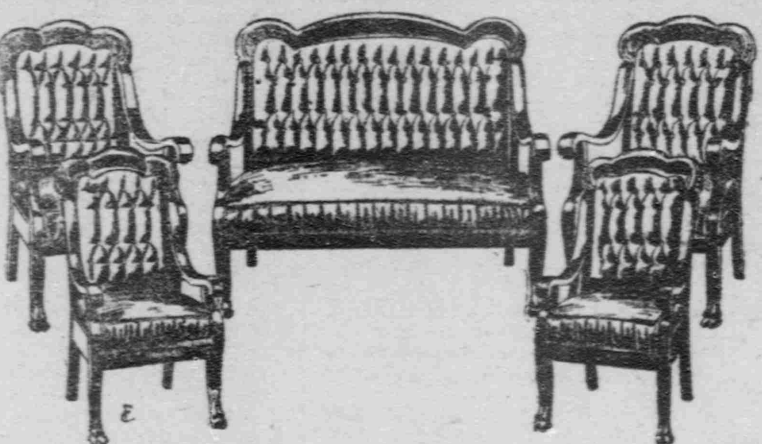
Acting on instructions from Mrs. Roose-
velt, Mrs. Abby G. Baker, who has
charge of the White House collection of
china and tableware, has prepared an
accurate inventory, in the shape of a
card-index catalogue, of every piece of
glassware and plate. When the new ad-
ministration comes into power everything
may be located at a moment's notice.

While you think of it, telephone your
Want Ad. to The Washington Herald,
and bill will be sent you at 1 cent a word.

HOUSE CLEANING SALE



With new goods coming in pell mell we are resorting
to strenuous bargain methods to clean out all the "short"
lines of Furniture as speedily as possible. The bargains
are well worth while, and the Furniture is as good as can be—every piece fully guaranteed. And,
although the prices are so very small, you still have the privilege of buying ON CREDIT. A
LITTLE AT A TIME WILL SOON SETTLE ANY BILL YOU RUN HERE.



An Unprecedented Sale of Parlor Suites.

All the one and two of a kind 3 and 5 piece Parlor Suites in stock are in this sale at al-
most half the original prices. Every suite is absolutely perfect and is fully guaranteed.

\$35 Three-piece Mahogany Suite, nicely carved frames; full springs; upholstered in cut velvet; reduced to.....	\$12.75	\$35 Five-piece Mahogany Suite, highly polished; mercerized tapestry; reduced to.....	\$13.50
\$35 Three-piece Mahogany Suite, silk velvet loose cushions; silk tassels; reduced to.....	\$19.50	\$40 Five-piece Mahogany Suite, heavily carved frames; upholstered in silk velvet; reduced to.....	\$26.75
\$35 Three-piece Mahogany Suite, silk velvet loose cushions; reduced to.....	\$25.25	\$45 Five-piece Mahogany Suite, full spring construction; upholstered in cut velvet; reduced to.....	\$28.50
\$44 Three-piece Crotch Mahogany Suite, French legs; silk plush loose cushions; reduced to.....	\$31.50	\$55 Five-piece Crotch Mahogany Suite, carved frames; upholstered in silk plush; reduced to.....	\$36.75
\$55 Three-piece Crotch Mahogany Suite, French legs, full springs; French cut velvet; reduced to.....	\$42.75	\$65 Five-piece Crotch Mahogany Suite, upholstered in French cut ve- rona; reduced to.....	\$42.50

This \$14.50 Imperial Oak



Chiffonier,
\$8.75

Handsome
Chiffonier, ex-
actly like cut.
Well made, of
imperial oak,
and highly pol-
ished; oval
French-plate
mirror; deep
drawers; brass
handles. A
\$14.50 val. u.
Reduced to
\$8.75

Three Hundred \$3 Iron Cots at 98c.



A chance to buy Iron Cots cheaper than you can rent them. We've just
purchased 300 slightly tarnished Iron Cots from the Boston Me-
talle Bedstead Co., at a fraction of their worth. These cots have
angle frame and are sold regularly for \$3. Big bargain at..... 98c
Good Thick, Soft Pads, covered with good ticking, to fit couch 89c
(without pillow). Special at..... \$2.79

Original \$6.50 Sanitary Couch, \$2.79.



This is the Hub's Original Sanitary Couch—the couch that always sold
for \$6.50 before we established the underselling price of \$2.79. It has 46 sup-
porting springs and stout malleable iron frame—count the
springs in any other advertised couch and you'll appreciate the
superiority of this couch, at..... \$2.79

This \$3.00



Dining
Chair,
\$1.95

Substantial
Quartered Oak
Box Seat Dining
Chair, like cut;
hand polished;
French shaped
legs; strongly
braced. Regular
\$3.00 value. Re-
duced to
\$1.95

Closing Out 1908 Polar Refrigerators

At About Half Price.



5 Polar Refrigerators,
with tank; worth \$6.00
\$11.75. Reduced to.....

2 Polar Refrigerators,
third size; worth \$7.00
\$13.50. Reduced to..... \$7.00

2 Polar Refrigerators,
third size; full enamel
lined; worth \$16.50. Re-
duced to..... \$8.50

4 Polar Refrigerators,
fourth size; worth \$9.25
\$17.50. Reduced to..... \$9.25

1 Apartment Refrig-
erator, high standing; worth
\$21.00. Reduced to..... \$10.50

1 Large-size Apart-
ment Refrigerator; worth \$23.
Reduced to..... \$11.75

THIS \$19.50



SIDEBOARD
\$11.75

One of a new line of
Sideboards, and it's a
beauty; highly polished
solid oak; heavy French
plate mirror; handsome
ly carved top and stand-
ards; large linen drawer
and lined silver drawer.
Regular \$19.50 value.
Reduced to..... \$11.75

SALE OF Ladies' Desks

At Half and Less
Than Half Price.



\$5 Oak Desk, full
pigeonhole in-
terior. Re-
duced to..... \$2.75

\$7.50 Mahogany
Desk, French legs
and mirror top.
Reduced to..... \$3.75

\$11.50 Full Quartered
Oak Desk, pigeon-hole
interior. Re-
duced to..... \$6.50

\$16.00 Early English
Desk, graceful design.
Reduced to..... \$9.00

\$21.00 Crotch Mahog-
any Desk, French legs;
pigeonhole interior.
Reduced to..... \$11.75

This Exact \$15



1909 Go-Cart,
\$9.75

A new 1909 Go-
cart, exactly like
illustration; full
round, reed roll
sides; bird's-eye
maple panels. Im-
proved gear; genu-
ine \$15.00 value. In-
troductionary price,
\$9.75

ALLWIN

FOLDING GO-CARTS



\$8.75

\$16

Pantasote
Leather
Go-Carts,
\$8.75

We secured about
75 of these Allwin
Go-carts at about
half their worth,
and, of course, the
bargains for you
to profit by. The
handiest and most
durable col-
lapsible Go-carts
made; genuine pan-
tasote leather body
and hood; full
nickel trimmed \$16
value. Special..... \$8.75

This \$14 Go-Cart,



\$8.75

One of the pretti-
est 1909 models.
Full spreading roll
sides; best round
reed; improved
gear and attach-
ments; thick rub-
ber tires. Genuine
\$14 value. Intro-
ductory price,
\$8.75

Hub Furniture Co.

Southeast Corner Seventh and D Streets Northwest.